NOTICE PUBLIC HEARINGS

LAKE COUNTY COMPETITIVE MUNICIPAL GRANT PROGRAM COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) AND HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS (HOME) PROGRAMS FISCAL YEAR 2009 ACTION PLAN

The Competitive Municipal Grant Program is available to participating communities located within the Lake Urban County.

The Board of Lake County Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing prior to the submission of the Annual Action Plan and the FY'09 CDBG and HOME Application to the U.S. Dept. of Housing & Urban Development (HUD). Lake County is expecting to receive approximately \$1.3 million in CDBG funds and \$500,000 in HOME funds.

In following with the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Lake County's CDBG and HOMES funds will be targeted towards housing rehabilitation and neighborhood stabilization activities **only**.

As mandated by HUD, only 15% of the CDBG funds (\$195,000) will be utilized towards public service activities.

Applications for the Request of CDBG Funding for the Competitive Municipal Grant Program and HOME Program RFP's will be available beginning on April 1, 2009. Applications may be requested by email to tracy.udrija@lakecountyohio.gov.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Ms. Tracy Udrija, Federal Grants Administrator (440) 350-2625, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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